

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please amend Claims 31, 35, and 37-40, as follows

1. - 30. (Cancelled)

31. (Currently Amended) An image processing apparatus comprising:

an image reading unit adapted to read a document image;

a file creating unit adapted to create a file in a memory; ~~wherein the file can be selected into which image data corresponding to the document image will be stored, and from which the image data will be transmitted in response to an instruction by a user for transmitting the image data in the file;~~ and

a controller adapted to register the document image which was read by said image reading unit both as color image data and as monochrome image data in the file which was created by said file creating unit.

32. (Previously Presented) An image processing apparatus according to Claim 31, further comprising a transmission unit adapted to transmit image data to a destination apparatus, wherein said controller reads out one of the color image data and the monochrome image data stored in the file, which is suitable for the destination apparatus, and controls said transmission unit to transmit the read out image data to the destination apparatus.

33. (Previously Presented) An image processing apparatus according to Claim 31, further comprising a determining unit adapted to determine whether a document is one of a color document and a monochrome document, wherein, when said determining unit determines that the document is a color document, said controller registers the document image both as the color image data and as the monochrome image data in the file, and when said determining unit determines that the document is a monochrome document, said controller registers the document image as the monochrome image data in the file.

34. (Previously Presented) An image processing apparatus according to Claim 31, wherein said image reading unit continuously reads image data for a plurality of documents.

35. (Currently Amended) An image transmitting apparatus comprising:
a memory adapted to store a document image as image data in a plurality of formats in a file;
a file selection unit adapted for a user to select at least one of a plurality of files in said memory in which the image data corresponding to the document image will be stored and from which the image data will be transmitted in response to a selection by the user;

a controller adapted to read out the image data, in a format suitable for a destination apparatus, from the file which was selected by a user through said file selection unit; and

a transmitting unit adapted to transmit the image data read out by said controller to the destination apparatus.

36. (Previously Presented) An image transmitting apparatus according to Claim 35, wherein said memory stores the document image both as color image data and monochrome image data in the file.

37. (Currently Amended) A control method for an image processing apparatus which comprises an image reading unit adapted to read a document image, said method comprising the ~~step~~ steps of:

creating a file, ~~in a memory, wherein the file can be selected by a user, in a memory into which image data corresponding to the document image will be stored, and from which image data will be transmitted; and for transmitting the image data in the file,~~

registering the document image which ~~was~~ is read by said ~~the~~ image reading unit both as color image data and as monochrome image data in the file.

38. (Currently Amended) A control method for an image transmitting apparatus which comprises a memory adapted to store a document image as image data in a plurality of formats in a file, said method comprising the ~~step~~ steps of:

selecting a said file from which image data corresponding to the document image will be read out and transmitted;

reading out[,] from the ~~said~~ file, when selected by a user, the image data in a format suitable for a destination apparatus; and

transmitting the read out image data to the destination apparatus.

39. (Currently Amended) A computer program storage stored on a computer readable medium storing a program for controlling an image processing apparatus which comprises an image reading unit adapted to read a document image, said program comprising:

code for creating a file in a memory into which image data corresponding to the document image is stored and from which the image data is transmitted in response to a file selection by a user; ~~wherein the file can be selected by a user for transmitting the image data in the file;~~ and

code for registering the document image which ~~was~~ is read by said image reading unit both as color image data and as monochrome image data in the file.

40. (Currently Amended) A computer program storage stored on a computer readable medium storing a program for controlling an image transmitting

apparatus which comprises a memory into which image data corresponding to the document image is stored and from which the image data is transmitted in response to a file selection by a user; ~~adapted to store a document image as image data in a plurality of formats in a file;~~ said program comprising:

code for reading out, from the ~~said~~ file when selected by a user, the image data in a format suitable for a destination apparatus; and

code for transmitting the read out image data to the destination apparatus.